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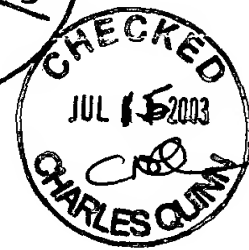
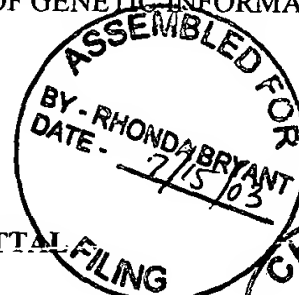
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BETWEEN SPECIES AND PRODUCT OF THE SAME

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL



1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for three months:

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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				TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$		834.00

Total additional fee for claims required \$834.00

FEE PAYMENT

5. Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$1,299.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1943.

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